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Attorney Docket No. TRAC-100FWC CON

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

RHONDA TRACY

Serial No.: 09/107,643

Filed: June 30, 1998

For: DISPOSABLE DIAPER WITH
PADDED WAISTBAND
AND PADDED LEGHOLES

) Examiner: Jamisue A. Webb

) Group Art Unit: 3761

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) D.C. 20231, on July 6 2001.

Robert M. Gans

Date: July 6 2001

LETTER FORWARDING APPELLANT'S BRIEF

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Appellant has filed her Notice of Appeal to the Board of Appeals and Interferences from the rejection which was mailed on March 7, 2001, rejecting claims 7-40 in the above captioned application. No claims have been allowed.

Filed herewith is Appellant's Brief (in triplicate). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the required amount of \$310.00 to cover the fee for the filing of this brief to Deposit Account No. 50-1039. The Commissioner is also hereby

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Respectfully submitted,

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REQUEST FOR ORAL HEARING

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Applicant, Rhonda Tracy, hereby requests an oral hearing before the Board of Appeals and Interferences regarding the appeal of the Final Office Action which was mailed on March 2001, rejecting claims 7-40 in the above captioned application. Enclosed is the required amount of \$270.00 to cover the fee for requesting an oral hearing.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee which may be required, or to credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1039.

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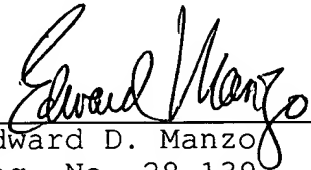
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